

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION

10, 2018 (Dkt. 186)). Defendants' Motion for Sanctions remains pending. However, Plaintiffs have now moved for leave to amend Exhibit A to their Amended Complaint to further add to the list of sound recordings "in suit." (Dkts. 194-195).

III. Argument

Defendants are under the impression the Court stayed the filing of summary judgment motions because its forthcoming ruling on Defendants' Motion for Sanctions could impact the issue in the Parties' summary judgment motions and materially alter the issues in this litigation. If this is correct, the Court's ruling on Defendants' Motion for Sanctions may also impact Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Amend Exhibit A to the Amended Complaint (Dkts. 194-195), particularly as part of the relief requested by Defendants' Motion for Sanctions was to prohibit Plaintiffs from further amending Exhibit A to the Amended Complaint (Dkt. 98-1, p. 24) or to dismiss the Amended Complaint (Dkt. 114, pp. 9-11). In other words, the Court's ruling on Defendants' Motion for Sanctions, could also impact the need for and scope of additional briefing in connection with Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Amend Exhibit A to the Amended Complaint and potentially eliminate the need for briefing all together.

Defendants requested Plaintiffs' consent to this Motion to Stay, but Plaintiffs have declined.

V. Conclusion

For these reasons, Defendants request that any additional briefing in connection with Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Amend Exhibit A to the Amended Complaint be stayed until after the Court rules on Defendants' Motion for Sanctions. The requested stay would specifically include suspending the deadline for Defendants to respond to Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave. (Dkts. 194-195).

A proposed order is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Respectfully submitted this 12th day of April, 2018.

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